

Barton S. "Bart" LeBon—House District 1 Representative—Alaska Republican Party Primary Candidate

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Age: 66

Place of Birth: Sioux Falls, SD

Spouse's Name: Mary Margaret LeBon

Children's Name(s): Erin & Allison

Occupation: Retired Banker

Length of Residency in Alaska: 46-years

Alaskan Communities Lived in: Fairbanks since 1972

Education:

University of Alaska-Fairbanks (BBA; Management & Marketing) 1975
Pacific Coast Banking School/University of Washington (Retail Bank Management) 1990

Political and Government Positions:

Fairbanks North Star Borough Board of Education; 1998 - 2004

Business and Professional Positions:

Alaska National Bank Loan Officer; 1975 – 1979
National Bank of Alaska Vice President; 1979 – 2000
Mt. McKinley Bank Executive Vice President; 2000 - 2017

Service Organization(s) Membership:

Fairbanks Sunrises Rotary Club
National Rifle Association
Greater Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce; Board Member, 1993 - 1996 & Board Chairman, 1996 - 1997

Special Interests: Riding my Harley-Davidson motorcycle and Arctic Cat snowmobile

Other:

Selected by the UAF School of Management as their 2002 Business Leader of the Year
Awarded by the UAF Alumni Association in 2009 its lifetime achievement award for
Community Service

Interior Community Health Center Board Member; 1996 - 2016

Midnight Sun Chapter of the U.S. Air Force Association; Community Partner 1998 - 2017

Alaska Airlines Community Advisory Board 1996 – 2018

Position Statement:

I believe that Fairbanks and Interior Alaska have a very bright future.

I believe that a strong, diversified economy best operates within a free market system that is not burdened by excessive government regulation--we need to encourage responsible resource development that is not unreasonably hampered by government overreach.

I support a simplified state tax system that does not produce the effect of government-directed redistribution of wealth. I believe that holding the line on taxes and unnecessary government spending helps to stimulate statewide economic growth.

I believe that the traditional values of family, work, and faith are essential toward maintaining the greatest possible quality of life opportunity for all Alaskans.

I believe in strong K-12 and University education systems; adequate funding is critical and must be maintained on a consistent basis.

I believe that a strong America improves the long-term prospects for peace; I pledge to do all I can to enhance Fairbanks as a desired host community for our military.

I believe that support for our law enforcement professionals should be a core responsibility of any elected official. Public safety and consistent enforcement of state laws will always be one of my highest priorities.

Alaska faces serious budget challenges now and into the immediate future. I hope to become part of a legislature that does not allow petty political drama to dictate the problem solving process; that we will work together as a legislature to resolve the many fiscal challenges now facing Alaska.

Please vote on November 6th.



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